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To: <u>Michael Overbay; Susan Mravik</u>
Cc: <u>Doug Beak; Jeanne Briskin</u>

Subject: Re: Chesapeake's Master Service Agreement info request

Date: 06/27/2012 05:49 PM

Mike and Susan - I have recently worked on two cases where the contractors released their insurance information. The contracts had set insurance requirements and one, which I sent to Susan, required the contractor to provide certificates of insurance. (b) (5)

Steve.

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Michael Overbay---06/27/2012 05:29:27 PM---Sorry I missed the Monday message, (b) (5)

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Stephen Hess/DC/USEPA/US@EPA Date: 06/27/2012 05:29 PM

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Sorry I missed the Monday message, (b) (5)

I am leaving for the day and will be out sampling tomorrow. Could we have a conference call Friday morning to discuss how to respond to Chesapeake? (b) (5)

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▼ Susan Mravik---06/27/2012 04:07:52 PM---Please see my e-mail below from Monday. Thanks, Susan Susan C. Mravik, Soil Scientist

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Please see my e-mail below from Monday. Thanks, Susan

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Date: 06/25/2012 03:29 PM Subject: Contract Questions

Mike,

I've been in touch with the contract officer for the E&E contract. Here's what I have learned:

- 1. Contract Information (warranties, insurance, bonding, certificates of insurance) are CBI and EPA will not release to a third party. It would require a FOIA for EPA to release E&E's info. E&E could be willing to release the info on their own. If they won't and EPA receives a FOIA, EPA still needs to get permission from E&E to release the information, (b) (5)
- 2. Insurance Coverage Amount. **EPA will not pay direct charges for insurance if the current contract doesn't have enough coverage**. Requiring E&E to add more insurance after contract award doesn't allow them to figure that additional charge into their rates. So, we cannot require an increase in E&E's insurance coverage.
- 3. Sub-contractor Insurance. When the SOW/RFP is announced, it can state a required amount of insurance.

Hope this helps, Susan

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